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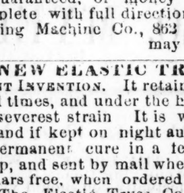

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Carolina Central Railway Company

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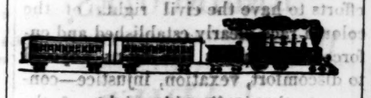


SCHEDULE.

PASSENGER TRAINS

LEAVE WILMINGTON DAILY (Except Sundays) at..... 8:00 A M
Arrive at Wadesboro at..... 5:25 P M
Leave Wadesboro at..... 7:10 A M
Arrive at Wilmington at..... 4:35 P M

FREIGHT TRAINS.

Leave Wilmington daily (except Sundays)..... 6:00 A M
Arrive at Laurinburg at..... 5:30 P M
Leave Laurinburg at..... 8:00 A M
Arrive at Wilmington at..... 5.30 P M

PASSENGER TRAINS.

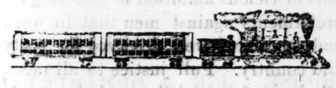
Leave Charlotte daily, Sundays excepted, at..... 8.00 A M
Arrive at Buffalo at..... 12.00 M
Leave Buffalo at..... 1.00 P M
Arrive at Charlotte at..... 5.15 P M

Irregular Lumber and Timber Trains run on both portions of the Road as the business requires.

A Daily Stage will soon run in connection with the trains on both ends of this Railway.

S. L. FREMONT,
Chief Engineer and Sup't.
may 19 311-tf

Piedmont Air-Line Railway.



Richmond and Danville, Richmond and Danville R. W., N. Division, and North Western N. C. R. W.

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Condensed Time Table.

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In effect on and after Sunday, *Dec.* 7, 1873,

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXPRESS
Leave Charlotte.....	7.00 P. M	8 35 A. M.
" Air Line J'nct'n	7.15 "	8.50 "
" Salisbury.....	10.09 "	10.47 "
" Greensboro....	2.15 A. M.	1.15 P. M.
" Danville.....	5.28 "	3.27 P. M.
" Burkville.....	11.40 "	8.06 "
Arrive at Richmond..	2.32 P. M.	11.02 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXPRESS
Leave Richmond.....	1.48 P. M.	5.05 A. M.
" Burkville.....	1.58 "	8.28 "
" Danville.....	9.52 "	1.03 P. M.
" Greensboro....	1.16 A. M	4 00 "
" Solisbury.....	3.56 "	6.33 "
" Air Line J'nct'n	6.22 "	8 53 "
Arrive at Charlotte...	6.30 A. M	9.00 "

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	
Leave Greensboro'..	2 00 A. M	.....
" Co. Shops	3.55 "	.....
" Raleigh.....	8.30 "	.....
Arrive at Goldsboro'.	11.40 A. M	.....

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	
Leave Goldsboro'....	6.00 P. M	.....
" Raleigh.....	6.00 "	.....
" Co. Shops	10 28 "	.....
Arriv at Greensboro	12.30 A.M	.....

North Western N. C. R. R.

(SALEM BRANCH.)

Leave Greensboro..... 4:30 P M
Arrive at Salem..... 6.25 P M
Leave Salem..... 8:00 A M
Arrive at Greensboro..... 10:00 A M

Mail trains daily, both ways.

On Sundays Lynchburg Accommodation leave Richmond at 9.42 a. m., arrive at Burkville 12 45 p. m., leave Burkville 5.35 a. m., arrive at Richmond 8.44 a. m.

Pullman Palace Cars on all night trains between Charlotte and Richmond, (without change.)

For further information address

S. E. ALLEN,
General Ticket Agent.
Greensboro, N. C.

T. M. R. TALCOTT,
Engineer and Gen'l Spuerintendant.
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RAIL ROADS.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R. Company.

GEN. SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct.. 11, 1872.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE WILL go into effect at 4:30 A. M., Sunday, 13th inst.

DAY EXPRESS TRAIN, (Daily.)

Leave Wilmington..... 4:30 A. M
Arrive at Florence..... 10:10 A M
Arrive at Columbia..... 8:00 P. M
Arrive at Augusta..... 8:00 P. M.
Leave Augusta..... 4:30 A. M.
Leave Columbia..... 10:20 A. M
Arrive at Florence..... 2 48P. M.
Arrive at Wilmington..... 10:00 P. M

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN DAILY (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

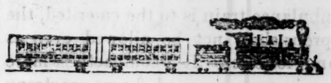
Leave Wilmington..... 6:10 P. M
Arrive at Florence..... 11:28 P. M
Arrive at Columbia..... 4.00 A. M
Arrive at Augusta..... 8:45 A. M
Leave Augusta..... 4:15 P. M
Arrive at Columbia..... 8:45 P. M
Arrive at Florence..... 2:02 A. M
Arrive at Wilmington..... 7:10 A. M

Passengers leaving Wilmington on the 6:10 P. M. train make close connection going South.

JAMES ANDERSON,
Gen'l Sup't.
oct 11 124-tf

Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Company.

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 24, 1873.



CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON AND AFTER OCT. 26th, INSTANT PASSENGER TRAINS on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad will run as follows:

MAIL TRAIN.

Leave Union Depot daily (Sundays excepted).....At 7:40 A. M
Arrive at Goldsboro..... 11:50 A. M
Rocky Mount..... 2:00 P. M
Weldon..... 3:50 P. M
Leave Weldon daily (Sundays excepted).....At 9:50 A. M
Arrive at Rocky Mount..... 11:35 A. M
Goldsboro..... 1:37 P. M
Union Depot..... 5:50 P. M

EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leave Union Depot daily...At 11:10 P. M
Arrive at Goldsboro..... 3:50 A. M
Rocky Mount..... 6:03 A. M
Weldon..... 8:00 A. M
Leave Weldon daily..... 7.50 P. M
Arrive at Rocky Mount..... 9:43 P. M
Goldsboro..... 11:55 P. M
Union Depot..... 4:30 A. M

Mail Train makes close connection at Weldon for all points North *via* Bay Line and Acquia Creek routes.

Express Train connects only with Acquia Creek route. PULLMAN'S PALACE SLEEPING CARS ON THIS TRAIN.

FREIGHT TRAINS will leave Wilmington tri-weekly at 6.00 A. M., and arrive at 1.40 P. M.

EXPRESS FREIGHT TRAINS will leave Wilmington daily (Sundays excepted) at 2:00 P. M., and arrive at 5:30 P. M.

JOHN F. DIVINE,
General Superintendent.
oct 24 136 tf

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THIS MOST REMARKABLE

OF ALL APPARATUSES—sometimes called a mechanical paradox—now used with such wonderful success in our principal cities for the cure, by CUMULATIVE EXERCISE, of nearly all

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Is for sale by the undersigned, by whom all orders will be promptly filled.

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is so constructed that even a child can instantly adjust it for a person to lift any weight, from twenty to twelve hundred pounds.

It is made almost wholly of iron and steel, weighs 130 pounds, and covers a space of only 20 by 36 inches; and although, but recently introduced, nearly 1,000 have already been sold.

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NEW GOODS!

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Now is the time to Purchase when Everything is Marked Down.

An Inspection of quality and prices is invited.

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B. WEILL.
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SHINGLES.

20,000 CONTRACT SHINGLES, just arrived. Also a new lot of Oak and Pine Wood, at my Wood, Coal and Lumber Yard, Corner Front and Mulberry streets,

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IN STORE.

5,000 sacks Salt;
8,000 bushels Corn;
1,000 bushels Oats;
300 bales Hay;
1,000 bushels Meal;
300 rolls Bagging;
1,000 bundles Ties;
800 Spirit Casks;
250 barrels Glue;
1,000 bundles Hoop Iron;
200 papers Rivets;
150 boxes Cheese;
125 barrels Mullets;
800 barrels Flour;
65 boxes Dry Salt Sides;
100 boxes Smoked Sides and Shoulders,
125 barrels Sugar;
400 bags Coffee—all grades;
125 boxes Tobacco;
30 barrels and half barrels Snuff;
100 boxes and barrels Crackers;
50 cases Snuff;
75 barrels Rice;
200 cases Brandy Peaches;
150 cases Schnapps;
150 dozen buckets;
50 boxes Candy;
125 boxes Candles, &c.

For sale by
F. W. KERCHER.
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THE YOUTH'S

COMPANION,

A WEEKLY PAPER FOR

Young People

AND THE

FAMILY.

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THE EVENING POST has a fine city circulation and is, consequently, a first class advertising medium. Merchants take THE POST home to their families to read the news of the day, and is seen by most of the leading people of the city.

The Evening Post.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Monday, December 29th, 1873.

Legislative Usurpations.

The Supreme Court has given three elaborate opinions concerning the power of the Governor to appoint to office; and has decided two other cases—one concerning the Directors of the Lunatic Asylum, and the other concerning the Keeper of the Capitol, by referring to former opinions. The Keeper of the Capitol, says the Supreme Court, for the same reasons that apply to officers of the State Asylums and Trustees of the University, making them public officers, is an appointee of the Governor; and it also affirmed the unconstitutionality of the act of Assembly which gave to the Legislature the power of appointing a Keeper of the Capitol.

If it be true, as the Attorney General avers, that the test of an officeholder is the taking of an oath of office, then it becomes the duty of the General Assembly to prescribe the oath when the office is created. The General Assembly should do this whether the office exists by statute or by constitutional provisions; and if no official oath is prescribed for a constitutional office, this omission would not affect the status of the incumbent. The General Assembly could not say that he was no officer because it had failed to qualify him by an oath.

"Cut I think the General Assembly may require duties and services of a person without making him an officer, although the same or similar duties may have been sometimes performed by one who was an officer." Thus the Attorney General sanctions the stripping of the Executive of its constitutional prerogative by as pretty a piece of special pleading as a legal opinion ever contained. It is the performance of the duties that make a person an official, and not the language of the contract which he enters into. It was plainly the design of the framers of the constitution to restrain the legislative branch of the government from appointing or electing any of the officers or servants of the State, except the officers of the General Assembly itself and U. S. Senators. The constitution itself declares that no officers except the above shall be elected or appointed by the General Assembly; and yet, in order to evade this positive provision, we are gravely told that a person may be an officer at one time and afterwards not, although he may perform the same duties on both occasions. By the method of changing his title—from Officer to Contractor—a fundamental principle of our government would be violated, and the road opened to unnumbered usurpations. The proudest boast of our highest officials is that they are the servants of the State and of the people; and this attempt to coner a stretch of power by a hyperbole of language, baaly becomes those, who, in this country, are literally the servants of the public.

To the Republican Party of Brunswick County.

REPUBLICANS!—Accept on this the first day of the new year, the sincere felicitations of your co-laborer upon the honest success of your manly efforts in the psst, and his heartfelt "God speed" for the near future.

In view of the impending contest, earnestly and vigorously to be fought in State, District and County before the lapse of many months, it behoves us to review our lines and ranks in time to early familiarize ourselves with the tactical opportunities of the battle field, as well as the objective and strageetic points of the seat of war.

First, then, let the party's muster roll be produced. As chief recruiting officer, by your command, now for nearly four years, I am proud to report that our muster roll shows a gratifying increase in number, wealth and intelligence; that its pages argue security in victory. I am bound, however, also to confess, that the rapid increase in our ranks, while gratifying in the promise of external success, is alarming in its effect upon the order of our household. The policy of keeping open house, making parlor and kitchen free to all comers, with no questions asked, allowing some to sneak and others to be pused into our inner circle of Union Republicans—a circle drawn by martyr blood and the blood sweat of the persecuted—has resulted in the bringing of diluted opinins, hot house matured convictions, wing cut ideas and insolent principles under our roof, threatening to convert our mighty tribune into a whispering gallery, and to transform the loud roaring lion of republicanism into a brood of sucking doves. To save our landmarks from deluge, to stem the promiscuous and multitudinous crowding in upon us, let the front door of our mansion, hereafter, be opened to those only, who dare knock for admission, dare knock at broad daylight, knock not with abject repentance or humiliating pledges, but with the stout heart of their honest manhood, a manhood without fear, without reproach. I do not wish to cast umbrage upon any even eleventh-hour converts, for the jewel of consistency is often but a bohemian stone, and the diadem of the renegate preferable to the fool's cap of the barnacle-wise, as progress and civilization, in their proud walk, are but leaning on the arms of conversion; nor do I mean to apply the principle of apostolic succession or that of primogeniture to politics and political preferments, desiring only to express masonic judgement upon all due or undue proselytism, for truth bribeth not, seduceth not, it conquereth. Not in view, therefore, of the new accessions to our party, for some of them are indeed noble acquisitions, but rather in view of the sad fact that there are those in our organization, who while claiming to be veterans, aspiring to be recognized and appreciated for such, are but veterians in iniquity, men of bedeviled ambition, eaten up with the incurable cancer of duplicity, treachery and corruption. I would suggest the wide throwing open of the backgate of our premises, subscribing it with the words: "Go! and stand not on the dignity of your going." Let our next Convention see to it, that the weak and vacillating are thundered back to the rear, and that the false and corrupt are struck with the lightning of the party's condemnation; let our next Convention see to it, that pearls of trust shall never again be cast before swine, and that while the ambulance train is to the emerited, the leprous shall not be allowed even as camp follower. It is compactness more than increase we need, for we are strong enough at home, in the country, and our voice is strong enough abroad, in the party councils of the State, to discard—when again selecting our standard-bearer and color-guard—the principle of availability, division of spoils, even personal strength, and to chose none but the incorruptibly honest, the eminently able, the unswerveringly faithful and meritorious. In the winnowing to come, however, and in the process of promoting the good, degrading the wicked, we can better afford to pass over in silent contempt the timid rider of the fence, than longer to forbear to visit the sin of heresy upon all concerned. Foremost among the latter class is he that stands against the necessary and vital equilibrium of power within the Republican party South. Whoever disturbs, by word or deed, the equity of privileges of the three constituent elements of the party, is an *enemy within the line.* The rude woodman that spares not the royal oak of republicanism—of which the negro is the protecting bark, the white native the heart, the immigrant the vivifying sap—must not be spared himself. Scratch the skin of the Cossack, and if you find him to discriminate on account of nativity, which is mere accident, or color, which is but skin deep, or religion, which is inbred, you have found a tartar. Enmity to the man who in truth and honor stands for weal or woe identified with the country or section of his adoption; enmity because his cradle was rocked under another sun, or because he happens to be no sovereign owner of a span of innate mules, sole possessor of a ten acre swamp, is an *insult to the woman that gave him birth;* an insult to the humanity of our age, deserving of the pillory of an enlightened world.

Stringent naturalization laws are in themselves anti-Republican, un-American, because in antagonism to the genesis of this nation; but naturalization laws, or practices and requirements similar in bearing to such laws, between the sections of a country one and indivisible, are hostility to the country, its union and perpetuation. Strike, then, if you please, fellow Republicans; strike itineranecy, adventurers, not immigration, for which of you has not immigrated to these parts and and continent either muscularly or in the loins of his fathers? Strike, if you must, persons of foreign birth like myself; let the ocean forever remain the rubicon of American citizenship, but let not Dixie's imaginary line divide what is bone of your bone, flesh of your flesh.

In justice to you, Republicans o Brunswick, it must publicly be avowed that as a body you have never refused to strangers abiding with you, be they from the North, East or West, any of the advantages of your political inheritance. It must be confessed that even individually, all or nearly all of you, have never denied on account of birth or far off home, to man what is to man. But have you not kept, or are you not still keeping back, from man what is to man on account of color? Do not many of us hold that the constitution, in its latter amendments, has thrown round the black man's head the halo and full glory of American manhood, surrounding the development of his race with most ample protection? Is not the sigh with many of us one of relief that our national constitution, while granting to the negro the right to vote, omits the mention of the right to be voted for, so that persons of the previous condition of slavery hold office only by right inferred—by induction? Again, it cannot be denied that by withholding the latent force of our party from the efforts to have the civil rights of the colored race clearly established and enforced, said race is left by us exposed to discomfort, vexation, injustice—contrary to the inalienable right of the pursuit of happiness. And yet, equality of civil rights, while more distasteful to many, can in no case be considered so dangerous as the free exercise of equal political rights by an inferior race or class. Would, for instance, the commonwealth of Brunswick suffer, should the operation of the law cease to deprive any fit and able colored son of the county of the opportunity to pursue the avocation or trade of a pilot? Up, then, Republicans of Brunswick, and nail one more plank to our platform—that of the equality of civil rights; and let the last order of the charter of American liberty and independence be executed. Let us do full justice to the negro first, before resenting any injustice done by him to us, or before charging with black ingratitude his people for the insolent demands of insatiate individuals of the race—persons of vicious ambition hog-rooting for preferments against men that in word and deed have well deserved for party and country. Full justice to all races, all classes fine, and then only be woe to the man who in sordid self-love forgetting that color was not washed out by blood from our organic laws to subserve individual ends and personal insolence, but to elevate a race, compels even the good and the foul to discriminate as between the nation's ward and the nation's first born, then only be woe to the man who is shameless to presume either upon the place of his birth, or the beauty of his face, pale, brown or black.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Concord Chapter, No. 1.

SPECIAL MEETING of Concord Chapter, No. 1, for installation of officers on Monday evening, December 29th, 1873, at 7 o'clock precisely.

By order of the M. E. H. P.

C. W. OLDHAM, Sec'y.

St. John's Hall, Dec. 29 1t

St. John's Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

A SPECIAL COMMUNICATION for the installation of officers for the ensuing Masonic year will be held at St. John's Hall THIS (Monday) evening, at 7 o'clock.

WM. M. POISSON, Sec'y.

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AMERICAN STAR

Leather Preservative COMPANY.

The attention of the public is requested to the American Star Leather Cleaner and Dresser for Boots, Shoes, Harness and everything in the way of Leather exposed to mud, water or otherwise. It is easily applied, saves time and labor, and is from twenty-five to fifty per cent, cheaper than any other preparation now in use. It renders the Leather soft, pliable, water-proof and refreshed. One application cleans, oils, blackens and lifts off all foreign matter; then the preparation sinks in giving it a neat, leathery finish. The first premium was awarded it at the American Institute Fair, New York, 1873, also at the Maryland Institute Fair, Baltimore, 1873.

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UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, Nov. 20, 1873.

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WM. E. A. AIKIN, Prof. of Chemistry, &c.

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DURING THE PRESENT WEEK ALL intend enjoying themselves, and to do so most effectually you should visit the MOZART SALOON,

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Silk Umbrellas,
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CITY TAX SALE.

Office Treasurer and Collector,

CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C., December 4th, 1873.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXISTING Laws, I will offer for sale at public auction, in front of City Hall, at 12 o'clock M, on TUESDAY, the 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER (instant,) the following described property, to satisfy the City Taxes, with expenses due thereon and remaining unpaid for the year 1873.

T. C. SERVOSS,
Treasurer and Collector.

Supposed Owners Property.	Blocks.	Lots and Parts of Lots	Total Tax & Expense
Armstrong, Emily V	186	w 1	$8 50
Ashe, Simon	236	e 1 2	4 00
Batson, Peter	325	e 1 2	6 02
Beatty, Edward	161	mid 3 4 5	3 00
Becton, John	161	mid 3 4 5	4 00
Bishop, H M	196	w ½ 3	25 00
Blossom, Samuel	49	m 4 5 6	113 00
" "	93	w 5 6	
" "	94	w 3	
" "	185	m 3 4 5	
Brock, Martha R	182	e 1	19 50
Brown, Fred J	279	m 1 2	21 30
Bryan, Richard	337	e 2	5 00
Bryan, Duke	174	m 1 2 3	7 20
Burnett, Julia	92	e 1 2 3	17 00
Burnett, James J	278	e 5	46 00
Burnett, John	242	n w 3	4 50
Barry, Mrs M S	192	e 4 5	91 00
Buie, Mrs M J	114	e ½ 3	36 00
Calais, Wm J, agt,	129	w ½ 1 2	130 70
Cantwell, Edward	234	m 3 4 5	57 00
Carr, Thos B	153	n w 2	641 70
"	152	m 1 2	
"	165	m 4 5	
Cassidey, Henry C, for	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	19 00
" " trus	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	
" "	92	1 2 3 4 5 6	23 00
Cassidey, Frank A L	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	28 40
" " agt	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	15 00
" " trus	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	15 00
Clark, Edward	4	m 6	5 24
Davis, Jackson D	94	w 6	5 50
Davis, Julia E	483	e 1 2 3 4 5	9 00
Dosher, Julius	170	e 3 4 5	81 00
Drane, Virginia L	182	w 1	71 00
Dudley, Mrs Jane A	114	w 6	38 20
Eborn, Edward	50	w 5 6	8 50
Edwards, James	57	e 6	7 00
Ellis, Miss Basheba	127	w 2	35 00
Evans, Julius	37	n w 5	2 00
Fisher, Arthur	55	e 4	4 50
Foster, Mary E	65	e 2 3	9 00
Fisher, Wm	95	m 4	1 50
Galley, James M	266	e 1 2 3	28 50
" "	279	e 5	
Gardner, Tho M, adm	208	w 2	13 00
" " agt	173	m 1 2 3 4 5	61 00
" " agt	194	a 4	
Grant, Reuben	117	w 6	8 00
Green, Wm A	132	pt 3 4	12 00
Hall, Eli, heirs of by E D Hall, ex'r	166	m 4 5	443 00
" "	178	w 2 3	
" "	190	m 3 4	
Hart, Godfrey	498	pt 3 all 4 5 6	10 40
"	499	w 3 4 5 6	
"	502	pt 1	
"	503	n w 1	
Henderson, A F est	248	m 5	21 01
Hewett, John W	567	e 4 5 6	27 80
"	568	w 5 6	
"	569	w 5 6	
"	585	e 1 2 3 4 5 6	
"	586	w 1 2 3 4 5 6	
"	587	all	
"	90	e 1	
Hill, Annie	71	e 1	49 00
Holmes, Mason	326	e 2	3 00
Hooper, Charlotte	328	e 1	4 50
Hunt, John R	199	w 5	10 00
Henry, Frank	119	s w ¼ 3	7 00
Johnson, Herbert	3	e 5	3 60
Jones, Abraham	294	w 3 4	11 00
Jones, James	119	s w 6	9 20
Kahnweiler, Mina	183	pt 1 2	43 00
" "	211	a 3	
Kent, Thos H	87	w 3 4 5	50 10
King, Elizabeth	76	w 5 6	17 00
Larrington, Diana	102	e 4 5	6 50
Lewis, Richard	160	m 5	6 00
Lilley, Isaac	91	s e 4	6 20
"	79	n e 5	
Love, Alex C	239	n e 3	90
Love, JohnD	295	w 1 2 3 4 5 6	122 80
Lumsden, Mrs E A	250	w 3 4 5 6	186 80
"	261	e 2	
"	171	e 2	
McAllister, Peter	234	w 3	45 30
McClammy, Chas W	61	m 1	7 60
McCoy, Frank	348	e 5	7 20
McCoy, Robert	149	w 1	3 00
McDonald, Hugh	185	m 1 2 3	14 10
McGwire, John	326	w 1 2	9 90
McGwire, Joseph	326	m 2 3	6 70
McIlhenny, Thos C	540	pt 4 a 5 6	71 00
"	541	pt 4 5 6	
"	542	pt 5 6	
"	558-578-550	all	
"	577-560-576	all	
McLean, Danl or Hny	60	m 6	3 54
McLellan, Marg't G	196	e 1 2 w 3	44 00
McMillan, Francis A	262	m 3 4 5	19 30
Maunder, John	150	w 3 4	39 80
Melton, Elizabeth	91	e 5 6	43 00
Merrick, Wm H est of	279	e 3 4	19 00
Miller, Lavinia	284	e 5	2 50
Mitchell, Lucy	294	s w 1	11 00
Moore, James	239	e 2	14 30
Moore, Benj R	233	m 3 4 5	61 80
Moore, Wm H & oth	208	w 4	18 10
Mosely, Abraham	482	w 1 2 3	9 10
Nash, James est of	239	n w 4	6 00
Neff, Jos H	50	a 1 2 3 4 5 w 6	253 50
"	77	m 1 2	
"	105	w 1	
"	151	m 4 5	
"	152	m 5	
"	90	e 4	
"	80	a 4 5 6	
Oldham, Carney W	101	e 4	28 00
Oldham, Alex	203	e 4	111 90
" agent	203	a 1	309 00
"	202	n e 1	
Parker, Thos	132	m 5 6	4 50
Payne, Thos est of	281	w 1	9 00
Pierson, John	310	n w 2	9 10
Potter, Henry heirs of	254	m 5	3 00
Price, Alexander	213	m 1 2	5 00
Reed, Hezekiah	221	pt 3 4 5	38 10
Reese, Edward	148	s e 4	5 00
Repton, Mrs Sarah E	165	e 4 5	111 00
Richardson, Jacob L	242	s w 3	4 00
Robinson, Rebecca	327	m 5	5 00
Roderick, Timothy	296	m 4	3 00
Ross, Robt	59	n w 5 6	8 50
Savage, John H, Sr	37	pt 1 2 3 4	38 20
"	51	e 5 6	
"	67	pt 1 2	
Schulken, Martin	47	pt 4 5 6	6 00
Shepherd, Edward	87	m 1 2 3	6 70
Shields, Gustavus C	108	m 6	18 00
Simmons, Alonzo	102	m 1 2 3	7 10
Simpson, Dr Jas F	182	a 3	64 00
Sidburry, John	84	m 6	6 00
Southerland, Chas	81	w 1 2	8 70
Sparrow, Nathaniel	3	m 6	4 60
Stanley, Wm	105	m 6	6 00
Stevenson, Wm M	350	pt 1 2	23 00
Stokely, Jas est of	101	e 5	77 00
"	102	a 6	
Thorburn, Robt trus	219	e 3	71 00
VanAmringe, Stacy	470	e 5 6	31 00
"	471	w 5 6	
"	474	e 1 2 3 4 5	
"	475	w 1 2 3 4 5	
"	478	e 1 2 3 4 5	
"	479	w 1 2 3 4 5	
Vansickle, A H est of	254	e 4	4 00
VanDross, Edward	239	s w 5	4 90
Waddell, Mary H	103	e 1	36 60
Walker, Jas & Sarah	225	a 1 2	17 05
Walker, Rose	279	m 3	31 00
Wedge, Geo H	45	e 6	6 00
Weston, Eliza	175	m 3 4 5	4 04
Williams, Jeffrey	209	w 4	18 40
Willis, William	132	m 5 6	5 50
Woodruff, J H prest	57	e 1 2 3 4	241 00
Wooster, Jno est of	153	e 4 5	253 50
"	164	e 5	
Woosier, J & Co	41	pt 1 2 3 4 5 6	112 00
"	44	1 2 3 4 5	

DELINQUENT:

Beasley, Rich'd agt	104	w 6	21 00
Burke, Mary	266	e 2 3	8 00
Charris & Hopkins	308	e 3	6 00
Craig, H A heirs of	310	e 1 2 3	24 00
"	327	e 4 5	
Dickson, J H or unkn	99	w ½-2	17 00

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Hartman, est of	510	4 5 6	8 00
"	511	4 5 6	
"	514-515-518		
"	519	all	
"	530	pt 1 2 3 4 5 6	
Hayes, Mary	48	pt 3 4	3 00
Hughes, John	48	pt 6	7 00
Hall, Raphel	79	w 6	9 00
Hankins, Mary	118	m 1	13 00
Hazel, Margaret est	269	m 5	4 00
Martin, Richard,	46	pt 4 5	9 00
Millis, Wesley,	64	n e 3	8 00
Middleton, J M est	217	c 5	151 00
Martin, John	343	m 5	8 00
Swain, Antoni	203	e 5	41 00

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AN ORDINANCE

RELATING TO FIRING OF ANY CANNON, OR OTHER FIREARMS, FIREARMS, FIRE-CRACKERS, OR ANY OTHER FIREWORKS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, N. C., That any person who shall fire off any Cannon, Gun, Rifle or any other firearms, or any Canton or Candle Crackers or any other fireworks, in any street, or alley, or wharf, or in any private or public lots, or or anywhere in the corporate limits of the city of Wilmington, except upon a military parade, or by permission of the Mayor or Marshal of the city, shall forfeit and pay five dollars for each and every offence; PROVIDED, That this prohibition shall not extend to the firing of Canton or Candle or Indian Crackers and fire works between the 24th day of December and the 3d day of January in each year, and on the 4th day of July.

All ordinances, or parts of ordinances conflicting with the above are hereby repealed.

MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C., December 23d, 1873.

Attention is hereby called to the above ordinance in relation to FIRE ARMS, &c., which will be strictly enforced, and any persons violating the provisions of the same will subject themselves to the penalty of the law.

Very respectfully,

GEO. W. PRICE, Jr.,
City Marshal.

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POSTPONEMENT.

Fourth Grand Gift Concert

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

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SUCCESS ASSURED,

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ON TUESDAY, 31st OF MARCH NEXT.

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OVER A MILLION DOLLARS,

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Only 60,000 tickets have been issued, and

12,000 Cash Gifts,
$1,500,000.

will be distributed among the ticket holders.

The tickets are printed in coupons, of tenths, and all fractional parts will be represtented in the drawing just as whole tickets are.

LIST OF GIFTS:

One grand cash gift		$250,000
One grand cash gift		100,000
One grand cash gift		50,000
One grand cash gift		25,000
One grand cash gift		17,500
10 cash gifts	$10,000 each	100,000
30 cash gifts	5 000 each	150,000
50 cash gifts	1,000 each	50,000
80 cash gifts	500 each	40,000
100 cash gifts	400 each	40,000
150 cash gifts	300 each	45,000
250 cash gifts	200 each	50,000
325 cash gifts	100 each	32,500
11,000 cash gifts	50 each	550,000
Total, 12,000 gifts, all cash, amounting to		$1,500,000

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Whole tickets $50; Halves $25; Tenths, or each Coupon, $5; Eleven Whole Tickets for $500; 24 Tickets for $1,000; 113 Whole Tickets for $5,000; 227 Whole Tickets for $10,000. No discount on less than $500 worth of Tickets at a time.

The Fourth Gift Concert will be conducted in all respects like the three which have already been given, and full particulars may be learned from circulars, which will be sent free from this office to all who apply for them.

Orders for tickets and applications for agencies will be attended to in the order they are received, and it is to be hoped they will be sent in promptly, that there may be no disappointment or delay in filling all.—Liberal terms given to those who buy to sell again. All agents are peremptorily requested to settle up their accounts and return all unsold tickets by the 20th day of of March.

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The Evening Post.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Monday, December 29th, 1873.

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The mails will close from this date as follows:

Northern through (night) mails.....8 P M
" through & way (day) mails..5 A M
Southern mail.....8 P M
Carolina Central Railway mails.....5 A M
Smithville—Saturday and Tuesday.....6 A M
Fayetteville, river, Monday & Friday..1 P M
Fayetteville, by Carolina Central Railway, daily.....5 A M
Onslow Court House, (horse mail) every Friday.....6 A M

Mails delivered from 7 a m to 7 p m, and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 a m.

Stamp Office open from 8 a m to 12 m, and from 2 to 6 p m. Money order on Register department open same as stamp office.

Hours for opening and closing Wilmington Library Association Reading Room, daily:

9 o'clock a m, to 1 o'clock p m.
3 o'clock p m, to 7½ o'clock p m.

On Saturday nights will be kept open until 9½ o'clock.

ROUTE carrier boys are not authorized to sell copies of the POST.

NEIL GERKIN has charge of our city circulation, and is authorized to collect moneys due therefor.

GEO. N. HARRISS is authorized to contract for advertisements and to receipt for any moneys due the POST.

CITY ITEMS.

Signal Service, U. S. Army---Weather Report.

OBSERVER'S OFFICE,
WILMINGTON, December 29. 1873.

Time of Observation	Barometer.	Ther	Wind	Weather
7:00 A. M.	30:226	34 deg	SW, g'tl	Clear
12:00 M.	30:119	49 "	SWb'sk	Fair
2:00 P. M.	30:057	52 "	do	do

OTTO SCHUTZE,
Observer, U. S A.

THIS weather reminds the public that Wood and Coal are necessities. Apply at the new Coal Yard of J. A. SPRINGER, corner Front and Mulberry sts.

A COLORED man fell with a fit in front of the Court House this noon.

THE various Catholic Churches in our city were beautifully decorated on Christmas day and yesterday.

EFFECTS of panic tremendous :Tumble in prices at

S. HANSTEIN & Co's
New York House,
tf 15 Market st.

YESTERDAY, Innocent's Day in the calender of the Catholic Churches, was appropriately observed. In the afternoon, as is usually the custom, choral service in St. James' Church was conducted by the children.

JUDGE CLOUD.—This gentleman arrived this morning and is stopping at the Purcell House. Before court, most of the members of the Bar called upon him. He opened court at about half past eleven o'clock, and, from all appearances, he will perform a great deal of labor.

CLOTHING is down, money being scarce, we are offering our entire stock of clothing, boots and shoes at suspension prices.

S. HANSTEIN & Co's
New York House,
tf 15 Market st.

SUPERIOR COURT.—The special term opened this morning, Judge Cloud presiding. It was ordered that the civil docket be continued until Monday next, thus leaving this week for the trial of criminal causes. A jury was called in, and the call of the docket commenced. The first case tried was the State vs. George Waddell, charged with assault and battery. The case was not concluded when our reporter left.

OWING to the late panic we will sell until January 1st, our entire stock at 25 per cent. less than New York cost.

S. HANSTEIN & Co's
New York House,
tf 15 Market st.

MASONIC.—St. John's Day having occurred on Saturday last, it was not deemed expedient to install the officers of the various Masonic bodies, as is customary on that day, and the time was extended until to-night, when the ceremonies will take place in St. John's Lodge Room in Masonic Hall. The services will be opened this year to the public, and ladies are invited to be present and acquire the secrets of the mystic art. The ceremonies will include the installation of the officers of St. John's Lodge No, 1, Wilmington Lodge No. 319, Concord Chapter No. 1, and Wilmington Council No. 1. The Commandery officers will be installed privately on the second Wednesday in January.

We expect to see a full attendance at the Lodge Room to-night to witness the peculiar ceremonies of the Order, and to listen to the music of the Lodge Choir, which will be in attendance.

Complete official returns make the majority in Pennsylvania for the new constitution 145,150.

THE TOWN CRIER.

— Mild.

— Gold is 110¼

— Last day to pay city taxes.

— Churches well filled yesterday.

— The oyster market is well supplied.

— Yesterday was a most magnificent day.

— Bishop Lyman will make us a short visit.

— Don't forget the public installation to-night.

— Some days must be cold, and dark, and dreary.

— Heinsberger sold two pianos during Christmas week.

— The fashion of New Year's calls will be generally observed here this season.

— The Senior has been off duty for several days, owing to the severe illness of his wife.

— The POST will take a holiday on New Year's, which will be the last for some months.

Saturday Night Sketches.

After so unpleasant a Christmas and so severe a gale, nature seems a little ashamed, and to-night the jagged moon shines upon the city unobscured and clear. The air is frosty and the crowds of loafers which usually infest the corners, have betaken themselves to some warm quarters, where they may chat and be at peace. The urgent appeals of the few hucksters who brave the cold air, are really touching and would move us to a sympathectic purchase were it not that we have not the needful to make the small dealers loads any lighter. The fire cracker nuisance has died a natural death and not a discordant sound is heard. The stores close early, for trading is not as brisk as usual, owing to the outlays during the late glorious festival, and the wants of many are supplied. Strolling into Webb's Saloon on the corner of Front and Princess, we espy the old familiar sign of "Tom and Jerry" before us. We sample it, and find it the same old friend of long ago. A dangerous friend though, for it is apt to crawl up into one's head and confuse it mightly. We notice another improvement here also. Mr. A R. Mayer has fitted up a nice cigar stand at one end of the Saloon, and has a full line of fine Cigars, Tobaccos, etc, We find here our favorite "Neil's Choice," which we have so persistently referred to, as the finest Cigar for the money ever brought to the city, according to our taste, and other choice brands. We expect Mr. Mayer will do a fine trade in his new stand and he deserves to.

One of our prominent physicians is seated in a room adjacent to his office, and is startled by the heavy tramping of a crowd which dashes in, without the formality of bell ringing or otherwise asking admittance. Now the doctor is brave, but visions of bummers and ku klux arise before him so vividly that he involuntarily rises in astonishment. Hastening into the office, he sees a crowd of colored people of both sexes, surrounding one poor sister who stands with jaws wide extended in an attitude of inexpressible woe. The doctor demands the cause, and all save the old auntie commence talking. "You see doctor she's bin to meeting and got happy." The doctor looks puzzled, when one shouts out, "she's bin to meetin and got happy in de Lord, and while she was shoutin hallalujah, she opened her mouf so wide, it done stay so!" To reset the jaw, is but a moments task of the man of skill, and auntie is again able to talk. Her first words are, "Oh thank you doctor, I's so much 'bliged, I thought I was done killed."

We almost envy our good friend the Doctor as the happy crowd shuffle out of his office. The week will close for him with the knowledge of one more act of kindness done, one more sufferer relieved, and all because we are commanded to do good. The poor we have always with us, and is not the heartfelt thanks of one of these whom the Lord commended to us of as much value as gold? We think so, even during the hard times. That is, a little of it! We want thanks, and also—occasionally—a little gold to help along and keep the editorial pot boiling. Our medical friend, however, is not of the grumbling sort, and his deeds of kindness are almost hourly performed, and ere the coming week is past he will have perhaps forgotten the circumstance we here narrate.

Colder grows the air as the night draws on. The water left in pails or puddles gradually becomes skimmed over with ice, the belated ones hasten along the walks, and all who can, hastily crawl beneath their blankets; and as they shudder the first five minutes of bed life, they wonder if the Yankees know anything of cold nights!

A Georgia editor was bitten by a dog, "being evidently mistaken for a bone."

Mayor's Court.

His Honor W. P. CANADAY, Mayor presiding.

Mary Murphy, charged with disorderly conduct and drunkeness, was sentenced to 30 days labor on the streets.

J. M. Scott, disorderly conduct, fined $12 25.

J. M. Gordon and Joe Dickerson charged with vagrancy, was discharged on their promise to leave the city.

VAGRANTS (?)—Jno. Gordon and Joe Dickerson, a couple of white men who recently dropped here from some State's prison we presume, were arrested yesterday on the charge of vagrancy and tried before the Mayor this morning. Upon their promise to leave the city they were discharged from court, and placed under the charge of an officer to be conducted over Hilton Bridge. The worthies are innocently void of front teeth and prepossessing appearances, and are supposed to be the tramps who have been going the rounds pretending to mend jewelry, etc.

WOMAN DROWNED.—On Saturday night last, between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock, a young colored girl, Eliza Moore, accompanied by her brother was crossing the North East river in a small batteau, and when landing at "Abe's Point," which is about thirty-six miles from this city, the boat struck a cypress tree and capsized. The girl was drowned before any assistance could be rendered; her brother being a poor swimmer narrowly escaped with his life. At the time of the accident there was a colored man, a *non compos mentis*, standing on the banks of the river and seemed to be very much elated at the scene that was going on before him, and could have saved the woman if he had thrown a line or pole to her. The body of the unfortunate girl had not been found up to yesterday afternoon, the time of our informants departure from "Abe's Point."

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

OHIO.

COLUMBUS, December 29.

Two hundred striking engineers assembled. Letters were read from engineers of other roads, tendering half their pay. The meeting resolved to stand firm. The Brotherhood opposed a resort to force to prevent others from work on the engines

CLEVELAND, December 29.

The best engineers express regret at the strike, but don't ask to be taken back.

The firemen are returning to work.—The officers hope to run the road to its full capacity by Wednesday.

A watchman at Logansport adjusted a misplaced switch barely in time to save a passenger train running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour.

The officers say they will not compromise.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29.

The New York night express train, from Pittsburg to Cincinnati, on the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad, due here at 6:30 yesterday morning, arrived at 11 o'clock last night.

At Cadiz, Ohio, between 5 and 6 o'clock Saturday night, the train ran into a misplaced switch, but fortunately escaped serious injury.

Soap had been placed in the tank at Columbus, from which the locomotives took water, rendering the water unfit for making steam, exposing the locomotive to danger of explosion, and causing delay at London, where the steam was blown off, and the water in the boiler and tender removed.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 29.

It has been ascertained from an official source that on the arrival of the Virginius at New York she will be seized by the Collector of the port, and libelled by the District Attorney, in accordance with instructions already forwarded to those officers. If on judicial investigation it be shown the vessel had a register obtained by fraud, she will be sold, and the proceeds of the sale paid to the United States.

Spain can make no claim to the vessel, but if she should it is positively certain that our Government would not entertain such a claim.

The report that the Spanish government requires of the United States the restitution of the Virginius, and the payment of indemnity, is not believed in official quarters.

The President has approved the bill removing the political disabilities of E. J. Horvie, Thos. S. Bocock, and Daniel Trigg of Virginia, and John H. Reagan of Texas.

INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, December 29.

A train which left here for Logansport, with troops, was ditched. The soldiers marched to Logansport, where all is now quiet. The passenger and mail trains pass as usual.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 29.

The Juniata with the Virginius survivors has arrived. The health officers found her sanitary condition good. The vessel proceeded to her dock. The survivors are excluded from visitors. The officers and crew of Juniata also remain aboard.

Amigos de Cuba collected $2,000 for the survivors.

The Tribune says that when the Juniata arrived to-day District Attorney Bliss, three assistants, and Commissioner Davenport, with a number of stenographers and an interpreter boarded her and began an official examination of the Virginius prisoners. The proceedings were kept secret.

A Herald correspondent in the Juniata says some of the Virginius prisoners, at Santiago, were compelled to testify at the point of the sword, and were threatened with instant death if they refused to answer the questions of the court. In some cases soldiers were pointing bayonets at their breast.

The steamship Georgia, at this port from Charleston, passed the Virginius in tow off Cape Romain, on 24th inst., at 2 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PITTSBURG, December 29.

A meeting of the Engineers in Allegheny City have resolved to stand out.

CABLE DISPATCHES.

FRANCE.

PARIS, December 29.

Ten thousand persons followed Francois Hugo to the grave.

France has given Germany satisfactory assurances relative to the hostile pastorals of the French Bishops.

New Orleans sent to Genoa, Italy, two hundred barrels of whisky, manufactured in Louisiana, but consoles herself with the reflection that it is all coming back soon in the form of French brandy.

The world is a looking-glass, and gives back every man the reflection of his own face. Frown at it, and it will in turn look sourly upon you. Laugh at it, and with it, and it is a jolly, kind companion.

Grades of Rosin Adopted by the Produce Exchange.

A	Black	G	Low No. 1
B.	Common Strained	H	No. 1
C	Strained	I	Extra No. 1
D	Good Strained	K	Low pale
E	No. 2	M	pale
F	Extra No. 2	N	Extra pale

Window glass and water white grades are not lettered.
Some persons grade one grade higher, beginning with I and running to N.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

MONDAY, Dec. 29—3:30 P. M.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Sales of 25 casks city distilled at 38½ cents, and small sales at 38 cents per gallon. Held higher and 38 cents fully bid.

ROSIN—Sales of 500 bbls. of C. at $2 15 per bbl. Market firm and held higher.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Sales of 300 bbls. at $2 for hard, and $2 95 for yellow dip.

TAR—Sales of 150 bbls at $2 15 per bbl.

COTTON—Sales of 45 bales at 13½, 48 at 14½ and 7 at 15½ cents per lb. We quote the market firm as follows:

Ordinary,	12½ cents ₱ lb.
Good Ordinary,	13½ " "
Strict Good Ordinary,	14⅜ " "
Low Middling,	14⅝ " "
Strict Low Middling,	14⅞ " "
Middling,	15¼ " "
Strict Middling	15½ " "

Receipts per railroad of naval stores as appears on the bulletin board of the Produce Exchange Dec. 29:

Cotton, (bales)	186
Spirits Turpentine, (bbls.,)	219
Rosin, (bbls.,)	2,296
Crude Turpentine, (bbls,)	315
Tar, (bbls,)	171

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

Cotton quiet and firm—sales since Wednesday including to-day of 4,507 bales; Uplands 16¼ cents; Orleans 16⅝. Futures opened as follows: December 15 11-16; January 15⅝ to 15¾; February 16⅛ to 165-16; March, 16 11-16 to 16⅞ April 17¼; May 17¾. Flour steady. Wheat advancing. Corn about 1 cent better. Pork quiet—mess $16 25.—. Lard steady—steam 8⅝ cents. Spirits Turpentine quiet 40½ to 41 cents. Rosin unchanged—$2 50@$2 55 for strained. Freights steady.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

Gold opened 110½. Stocks active and strong. Gold 110¼. Money 7 per cent. bid. Sterling Exchange—long, 109; short, 109⅝. Government bonds strong and higher. State bonds quiet.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 29.

Fives 91¾. Erie 36¾.
Street rates ¼ below Banks.

PARIS, Dec. 29.

Rentes 58f. 25c.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 29.

Cotton quiet and steady—Uplands 8¼d.; Orleans 8¼d. to 8⅝d. Sales of 12,000 bales to speculators and 2,000 to exporters.

Uplands not below Good Ordinary shipped November 8¾d.

Corn 38s.

LATER.

Sales include 6,900 American.

Uplands not below Middlings shipped November 8¾d.

Orleans not below Good Ordinary shipped December and January, 8¾d.

Breadstuffs quiet.

MARINE.

Port of Wilmington, Dec. 29, 1873

ARRIVED.

Dec 27—Schr Riverdale, Cory, Elizabeth City, Mitchell & Son.

Brig Altavela, Freethy, Mayaaguez: P R, E Kidder & Sons, 14 days, in ballast.

Schr Carleton, Aubery, Nassau, E Kidder & Sons.

Steamship Tonawanda, Wiltbanks, Philadelphia, Worth & Worth.

CLEARED.

Dec 27—Norwegian brig Nornen, Mathiesen, Rotterdam, G G Barker & Co.

Norwegian barque Olaf, Olsen, Cork or Falmouth for orders to a market, J R Blossom & Evans.

Schr John Douglas, Parker, St Pierre, Martinique, E Kidder & Sons.

Schr Ben Davis. New York, Williams & Murchison.

German barque Jason, Dartels, Hull, England, Sprunt & Hinson.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

New York—Schr Ben—900 bbls tar, 158 casks spirits turpentine, 389 bales cotton.

FOREIGN.

St Pierre, Martinique—Schr John Douglas—170,000 feet lumber, 75,000 shingles.

Cork or Falmouth for orders to a market—Norwegian barque Olaf—3,029 bbls rosin.

Rotterdam, Holland—Norwegian brig Nornen—960 bbls rosin, 1,000 casks spirits turpentine.

Hull, England—German barque Jason—3,100 bbls rosin.

List of Vessels in this Port.

STEAMSHIPS.

Tonawanda, Wiltbanks, Worth & Worth
Raleigh, Oliver, A D Cazaux
Tonawanda, Wiltbanks, Worth & Worth
Steamship J D Foley, Price, A D Cazaux
Regulator, Freeman, dis, Barry Bros

BRIGS

Altavela, Freethy, dis, E Kidder & Sons
Br Brig Susanna Knapp, Edwards, dis, Sprunt & Hinson
Nor Brig Alken, Larsen, dis, R E Heide
Norwegian Soskeeninmeron, ——, dis, R E Heide
German Dorothea, Zepene, dis, E Peschau
German Fanchon, Voss, dis, E Peschau
German Bertha, Hillerichs, repg, E Peschau
Ger Brig Gloria, Laasch, Liverpool, E Peschau
Nor Brig Sibal, Hansen, Antwerp, Heide Bros
Ger Brig Johanner Emilee, Domcke, Liverpool, Vick & Mebane
Ger Eintracht, Schuchhard, E Peschau
Frontier, Blaisdell, Navassa Guano Co.
Swed Augusta, Domey, R E Heide
Nor Rufus, Christensen, R E Heide
Br Brig Joseph Howe, Hughes, J R Blossom & Evans.
Nor Brig Fido, Thorsen, Exmouth, Eng Heide Bros

BARQUENTINES

Swed Kronpruss, Gustaf, ldg, R E Heide

BARQUES.

Erlkonig, Nausch, Sprunt & Hinson
Felix (Ger), Fusteno, E Peschau
Claudia (Ger), Dince, returned for repairs
Lina (Nor), Petersen, R E Heide
Arnon (Nor), Gundersen, R E Heide
Hansen (Nor), Pedersen, R E Heide
Virene (Ger), Calleiss, E Peschau
Frey (Nor), Halverson, R E Heide
German Barque Felix, Fusteno, dis, E Peschau
German Barque Claudia, Dinse, Master
Ger Bark Frederick Scalla, Waacks, dis, E Peschau
German Ludwing, Schultz, dis, E Peschau
Norwegian Viking, Hansen, dis, R E Heide
Norwegian Sina, Peterson, dis, R E Heide
Norwegian Arnon, Greuiderson, dis, R E Heide
Ger Rosa, Hoffschild, ldg Europe, W Monk
Ger Sirene, Calleiss, ldg Europe, Peschau & Waterman
Ger Montag, Stromstedt, ldg, Willard Bros
German C M Von Behr, Kroger, dis, E Peschau
German Ernst, Erdmann, dis, E Peschau
Ger Barque Hermann Helmreich, Olsterreich, Stettin, E Peschau
Ger C M Von Behr, Kroger, E Peschau
Ger Sophia Gorbitz, Gorbitz, Williams & Murchison
Ger Ledy, Muller, E Peschau
Br Maria Needham, Davies, Sprunt & Hinson.
Ger Louise, Bahlrius, E Peschau
Elise & Anna, Wendt, R E Heide
Ger W A Sarnon, Bussest, E Peschau
Mary Brewer, Sander, Worth & Worth
Nor Miletus, Petterson, R E Heide
Ger Bark Ernest, Erdmam, E Peschau.
Ger Bark Thos Small, Dillentz, E Peschau.
Nor Barque Hansen, Pedersen, R E Heide
Nor Barque St. Olaf, Olsen, Bristol, Willard Bros

SCHOONERS

Riverdale, Cory, dis, Mitchell & Son
Carleton, Aubery, dis, Kidder & Son
Emma B Shaw, Shaw, O G Parsley & Co
Annie B Cook, Cook, Worth & Worth
Annie P. Chase, Poole, dis, G G Barker & Co
F E McDonald, McDonald, dis, B F Mitchell & Son
D Britton, Carrall, dis, Harriss & Howell
S T Baker, Davis, ldg Martinique, Harriss & Howell
Mary Brewer, Sanders, dis, Worth & Worth
Webster Barnard, Smith, E Kidder & Sons
Schr Luola Murchison, Jones, Williams & Murchison
Lettie Wells, Watson, J H Chadbourn & Co
Cornelia, Dennisen, E Kidder & Son
Mary A Stockham, Cordery, Harriss & Howell
Br M L St Pierre, Carter, G G Barker & Co

List of Vessels Sailed for this Port.

NEW YORK.

Schr Idabella, Fischer, cld Dec 22

HONFLEUR.

Avance, Thorstensten, sld Dec 4

BRIDGEWATER.

Hertha, Olthaber, sld Dec 6

PADSTOW.

Ellide, Klain, sld Dec 7

BOSTON.

Brig C E Kelley, Noyes, cld Dec 9

ROCKLAND, ME.

Schr J C Crafts, Kennedy, sld Dec 7

DUBLIN.

Fram, Anderson, cld Nov 12

BRISTOL, ENG.

Nor Brig Ara, Evachsen, sld Dec 23
Arcadia, Eldrup, sld Nov 7

ROTTERDAM.

Rudolph, Paske, cld Nov 28

BERMUDA.

Br Brig Caronella, sld Dec 11

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Schr Rhodella, Blew, cld Oct 26

BANGOR.

Isaac Carver, Williams, cld Oct 11
Addie L Cutler, Smith, cld Aug 28

NEW BEDFORD.

Gov Burton, Phinney, sld Sept 30

SWINNEMUNDE.

Clio, Schupp, sld Sept 17

MARTINIQUE.

A Richards, ——, sld June 25

HAMBURG.

W Von Freeden, Meyer, sld Sept 24

GEESTEMUNDE.

Bosse, ——, sld Aug 22

CARDIFF.

Mira, Gunderson, sld Oct 7

DEAL.

Retriever, sld Oct 26

ANTWERP.

Elise & Anna, Wendt, cld Aug 12
Ger Amalia Hedwig, Gehm, cld Sept 30
Ger Elise & Anna, Wendt, cld Aug 23

EXETER.

Br Abby, Eastman, sld Aug

LONDON.

Memoria, Jacobsen, cld Nov 13
Vick & Mebane, Hull, cld Oct 20
G N Gredlohen, Dethloss, cld Aug 6
Douglass, Wilson, sld June 2

AMSTERDAM

Elizabeth Cath, Anderson, cld Aug 8

GLOUCESTER.

Forsete (Nor), Christiadsen, sld Sept 4
Michael, Bentall, sld Sept 10
Seevogel, Danghinrides, sld Oct 25
Br Troubador, Seale, cld Sept 26

LIVERPOOL.

Speed, Natvig, ent out Dec 8
Wilhelm Aischer, Burmeister, ent out Dec 8
Louise Derothea, Kraeft, ent out Dec 6
Albatross, Stohass, ent out Dec 1
Emanuel, Tobiason, ent out Nov 29
Geo Adolph, ent. out aug 29.
Vitruvius, Drummond, sld May 22
Invincible, James, ent out Sept 20

BELFAST, I.

August Schaner, sld Oct 20

MILFORD.

Rose, sld Nov 7

FLEETWOOD.

Nornen, Jensen, sld Sept 26

BRISTOL.

Arcadia, Eldress, sld Nov 7

BREMERHAVEN.

Minerva, Rammin, sld Nov 8

CHRISTMAS TOYS.

THE MISSES STROCK inform the public that they have a fine assortment of

TOYS

For the little folks, as well as articles suitable for presents for the elders, which will be sold cheap. dec 21—tf

What a wonderful oil upon the machinery of human affairs tact is! To know just what to say it, and to whom to say it—to know when to be silent, and when defeaentially to listen is a great gift.

Eighty- eight young ladies in Minnesota have agreed not to marry any man who uses tobacco. The same number of men have banded together and agreed not to marry any female who uses false hair.

Deserve friends, and you will have them. The world is teeming with kind-hearted people, and you have only to carry a kind, sympathetic heart in your own bosom to call out goodness and friendliness from others.

MISCELLANEOUS.

D. A. SMITH & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Dealers in

FURNITURE.

OUR WAREROOMS AT ALL TIMES contain an unrivalled assortment of Furniture of every description—of all styles and PRICES, combining the rich and elegant.—The medium prices, suitable for country dealers. We invite the attention of the public to our stock, and can offer

WELL MADE

RELIABLE AND

SUBSTANTIAL

FURNITURE,

at the lowest prices.

We also manufacture and have constantly on hand all kinds of Mattresses, Bedding, Window Shades, Sash, Blinds and Doors.

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS of all grades and newest paterns.

Salesrooms: North Front between Princess and Chestnut sts., Wilmington, N. C.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

READ AND PROFIT THEREBY.

THE DEW DROP SALOON

DESIRING to meet the exigencies of the times to make the people happy, and to do business in spite of our troubles with Spain, will adopt, till further notice, the following price list, to-wit:

Plain drinks	10 cents
Cocktails, Toddies and otther mixed drinks	15 cents, or 2 for 25 cents
Cognac Brandy	15 cents
Ordinary Hot drinks	15 cents
Soda and Whiskey	20 cents
Hot Scotch Whiskey Punch	25 cents
Hot Tom and Jerry	25 cents
Best French Brandy	25 cents

CHOICE NEW RIVER OYSTERS served at all hours.

BUSINESS!

Drinks and refreshments must be paid for on delivery. We have no use for customers without money. Once for all, WE WILL NOT GIVE CREDAT TO ANY ONE, no matter what his standing may be. Thankful for past favors we hope by square dealing to merit a continuance of the same.

Respectfully,

THE DEW DROP SALOON,

Blue Front,
No. 6 South Front St.

nov 19 158—1m

NOTICE.

SPECIAL TERM OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

HAVING been notified by his Excellency, Tod R. Caldwell, Governor, that a Special Term of the Superior Court of New Hanover county will be held for said county, commencing on Monday, the 29th day of December, 1873, and continuing until the business is disposed of. Said Court will be for the trial of Civil and Criminal cases, and this is to give notice to all parties interested.

SILAS N. MARTIN,
Chairman County Commisioners,
New Hanover county.

Dec 5 172-2w.

Journal and Star copy.

GO TO EVANS & VONGLAHN

To buy Children's Shoes at 25 cents and upwards.

GO TO EVANS & VONGLAHN
To buy Misses' Shoes at $1 and upwards.

GO TO EVANS & VONGLAHN
To buy Ladies' Shoes at $1 and upwards.

GO TO EVANS & VONGLAHN
To buy Men's Shoes at $1 and upwards.

GO TO EVANS & VONGLAHN
To find a good assortment of
Shoes and Boots.

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TICK! TICK! TICK!

JOHN H. ALLEN, Jr.,

WATCHMAKER and JEWELLER,

No. 11 NORTH FRONT STREET,

Wilmington, N. C.

ALL work done in a workmanlike manner. With an experience of 20 years at the bench, he guarantees to give satisfaction and prices to suit the times. Give him a trial. He has on hand a very fine assortment of WATCHES and JEWELRY, CLOCKS, SILVERWARE, POCKET CUTLERY, &c.

nov 15—155-3m

WE HAVE demonstrated that an Evening paper is a necessity in the city of Wilmington, and our growing circulation is the best proof we can offer of the truth of the statement.

Our Weekly circulation is increasing every week, even during the "hard times." Only ONE DOLLAR a year in advance.

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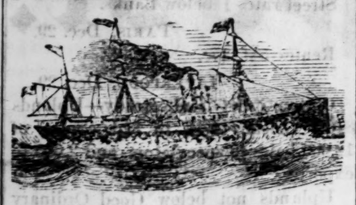

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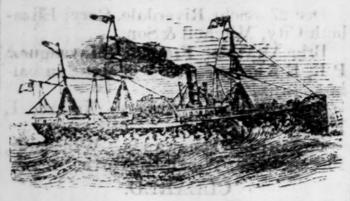

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